

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

VYNEEKA HOPKINS, as Parent and Natural Guardian of C.A., a Minor,	:	
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Plaintiff.	:	CIVIL ACTION
	:	No. 18-5354
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
NICOLE YESSER, <i>et al.</i> ,	:	
	:	
Defendant.	:	

**ORDER**

**AND NOW**, this \_24<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_ day of September, 2019, it is **ORDERED** as follows:

1. The Motions to Dismiss filed by Defendants Nicole Yesser (ECF No. 25), and Rocco Manfredi and Bonsall Manfredi & Associates, P.C. (“BMA”) (ECF No. 23), are **GRANTED** as to the substantive due process claim Plaintiff brings under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 against those Defendants. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1367(c)(3), the Court declines to exercise supplemental jurisdiction over the state-law negligence claim Plaintiff brings against Yesser, Manfredi, and BMA. Accordingly, both the § 1983 claim and the state-law negligence claim brought against these Defendants are **DISMISSED**.<sup>1</sup>

2. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1367(c)(3), the Court declines to exercise supplemental jurisdiction over the state-law intentional tort claims Plaintiff brings against Defendant Jamir Hill. Accordingly, those claims are **DISMISSED**.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> The dismissal of the state-law negligence claim is made without prejudice to Plaintiff’s re-filing of that claim in state court.

<sup>2</sup> The dismissal of these claims is made without prejudice to Plaintiff’s re-filing these claims in state court.

s/Anita B. Brody

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ANITA B. BRODY, J.

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